# **ALEXANDER B. RUDIN**

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# **OBJECTIVE**

Highly motivated mechanical engineer seeking a position in industry utilizing my joint mechanical engineering and computer science background, my experience working in a variety of project environments, and my interest in helping a company innovate and optimize their internal and external processes.

#### **EDUCATION**

### University of Virginia, School of Engineering and Applied Science

Charlottesville, VA

B.S. Mechanical Engineering Minor: Computer Science

May 2020

Cumulative GPA: 3.89

#### **EXPERIENCE**

Metallum3D, Inc. – Mechanical Engineering Intern – Charlottesville, VA

March 2020 – Present

- Worked remotely to develop production-level Arduino code for the sintering process
- Integrated Arduino and MegunoLink to build the user interface for the furnace

**Zeta Associates, Inc.** – *Software Development Intern* – Fairfax, VA

May - August 2019

- Used Python to develop, test, and benchmark production-level code for a digital signal processing algorithm
- Utilized CUDA library with NVIDIA GPUs to improve runtime

Clark Construction Group, LLC - Research & Development Intern - Bethesda, MD

May – August 2018

 Used pug and node.js to implement an interface used by project teams to automate sending requisitions and Release of Liens to subcontractors

Windpact, Inc. - Engineering and Design Intern - Leesburg, VA

May 2017 - January 2018

- Developed CAD models in Solidworks for vacuum form molds and CNC machined the molds on a ShopBot using VCarve CAM software
- Used vacuum former and RF Welder to build pad prototypes and assembled prototypes into sports helmets

# **PROJECTS**

# Magnetically-Actuated Ferrofluid Clock – Capstone MAE 4610/4620

August – December 2019

 Used Parallax Propeller chip with mechatronic servomotor system and Parallax LCD screen to implement user interface

# Machine Learning Analysis of Fish Habitat Degradation in Virginia – CS 4774

December 2019

 Conducted Random Forest, Decision Tree, K-means Clustering, and Neural Network models on fish habitat degradation data to determine the best model and make claims about feature importance

# Two-Axis Pen Printer - MAE 4710

April 2019

 Controlled stepper motor, servo motor, and DC Brush motor with Parallax Propeller microcontroller to create 2D drawings based on digital images converted to G code

### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Certified Solidworks Associate (CSWA), Autodesk Fusion, Autodesk Inventor, Arduino, MATLAB, C++, Python, Java, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Pug, Scikit-Learn, Keras Tensorflow, Microsoft Office Suite

### **LEADERSHIP & EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

UVa ULink Peer Advising, AdviserAugust 2017 – May 2020UVa Club Ultimate Frisbee, Vice President (2018 – 2019), Captain (2019 – 2020)August 2016 – May 2020

# **AWARDS**

Pi Tau Sigma Mechanical Engineering Honor Society
Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society
Finalist for UVa Entrepreneurship Cup Concept Competition

September 2018 – present October 2018 – present November 2016